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SUBJECT: 57TH ECOSOC - ITEM 19 SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

- 1. THIS ITEM WAS TAKEN UP AS FIRST ITEM IN ECONOMIC COMMITTEE IN LIEU OF REGIONAL COOPERATION. GENERAL DEBATE AND ADOPTION OF ALL DRAFT RESOLUTIONS BY ACCLAMATION. COMPLETED IN THREE SESSIONS ALTHOUGH ITEM REMAINS OPEN FOR FURTHER DISCUSSION AT LATER DATE AND POSSIBLE CONSIDERATION OF KENYA DRAFT RESOLUTION. (SEE SEPTEL)
- 2. PARTICIPATION IN DEBATE WIDESPREAD AND POSITIVE IN TONE. GENERAL SATISFACTION WAS EXPRESSED WITH THE CONSTRUCTIVE NATURE OF THE SECOND SESSION OF THE CSTD AND THE DRAFT RESOLUTIONS. SEVERAL DELEGATIONS NOTED PARTICULARLY THE CONTRAST OF THIS SESSION WITH THE FIRST ONE.
- 3. FREQUENT REFERENCE WAS MADE BY LDCS TO IMPORTANT ROLE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY IN THE DEVELOPMENT PROCESS AND NEED FOR DEVELOPED COUNTRIES TO MAKE A GREATER CONTRIBUTION IN THIS REGARD. THE RESOLUTIONS OF THE RECENT SPECIAL GENERAL ASSEMBLY WERE CITED IN UNCLASSIFIED

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SUPPORT OF THIS VIEW.

- 4. WHILE GENERAL SUPPORT GIVEN TO UN CONFERENCE ON SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, SEVERAL COUNTRIES STRESSED NEED FOR CAREFUL PREPARATION AND MINIMIZING FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS.
- 5. USDEL MADE FULL STATEMENT IN ACCORDANCE WITH POSITION PAPER.
- 6. FOLLOWING TWO LAST MINUTE MINOR CHANGES MADE IN DRAFT RESOLUTIONS:
- (A) RESOLUTION II PARA 1 DELETE SECOND LINE "THROUGH THE UNESCO" AND ADD IN FOURTH LINE "UNESCO, UNIDO, WMO".
- (B) RESOLUTION IV PREAMBULAR PARA 1 ADD "IN PARTICULAR THE RELEVANT PROVISIONS OF THE DECLARATION AND PROGRAM OF ACTION". DALE

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